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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Shinichi YAMAGATA, et al.

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For: SUBSTRATE MATERIAL FOR MOUNTING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE,

SUBSTRATE FOR MOUNTING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE,

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND METHOD OF PRODUCING THE SAME

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated December 23, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows. The claims are presented in the revised amendment format described in the Pre-OG Notice dated January 31, 2003, regarding waiver of the current provisions of 37 CFR §§ 1.121(a) - 1.121(d). Favorable reconsideration is respectfully solicited.